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In re Application of:

Alan R. Reinberg et al.

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For: SMALL ELECTRODE FOR A  
CHALCOGENIDE SWITCHING  
DEVICE AND METHOD FOR  
FABRICATING SAME

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Prior to examination of, and the calculation of fees for, the above-referenced application, please amend the application as follows:

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